

## Message Text

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ACTION HEW-08

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FM AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4817

INFO AMEMBASSY MEXICO CITY

UNCLAS BRASILIA 5731

FOLLOWING MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM SAO PAULO ON 31 JULY SENT  
ACTION BRASILIA PRIORITY NOW BEING REPEATED FOR YOUR ACTION.

QUOTE SAO PAULO 1688

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SWEL, BR

SUBJECT: MENINGITIS

REF: SAO PAULO 1677

1. "O ESTADO" FOR JULY 31 QUOTES MEXICAN AUTHORITIES AS STATING,  
CONTRARY TO PREVIOUS INFORMATION FROM THE SAME AUTHORITIES,  
THAT BRAZILIANS ARE NOT RPT NOT BEING FORBIDDEN ENTRY INTO MEXICO.

2. THE TRUTH OF THE MATTER, THE MEXICAN AUTHORITIES ARE QUOTED  
AS SAYING, IS THAT MEXICO IS ANXIOUS TO PREVENT THE ENTRY INTO  
MEXICO WITHOUT MEDICAL EXAMINATION OF ANY PERSON WHO IS A CARRIER  
OF MENINGITIS AND THAT, FOR THIS REASON, THE HEALTH AUTHORITIES  
AT MEXICO CITY'S INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT ARE DEVOTING SPECIAL  
ATTENTION TO TRAVELLER ARRIVING FROM BRAZIL.

3. COMMENT: THIS POLICY APPEARS TO BE A MORE REASONABLE ONE  
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THAN THAT REPORTED IN REFTEL.

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